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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 4862**  
Masanori TOMIOKA : Attorney Docket No. 2004\_0206A  
Serial No. 10/776,261 : Group Art Unit 3673  
Filed February 12, 2004 : Examiner Alison Pickard

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Petition hereby is made for a five month extension of time to respond to the communication of  
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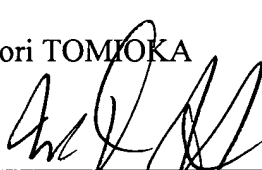
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which  
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